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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated February 6, 2007, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

A Request for Continued Examination was filed July 6, 2007, with a request for a three month suspension of examination being requested at that time. Accordingly, the suspension period does not expire until October 6, 2007.